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MECHANICAL, PLANARIZATION
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NITRIDE**

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated October 5, 2005, the Examiner is kindly requested to consider the following amendments and comments:

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2; and

Remarks begin at page 6 of this Response.